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In re U.S. Patent Application of)	
Senthil SENGODAN)	Art Unit: 2616
Application No. 10/017,398)	Examiner: Mattis, Jason E.
Filed: December 18, 2001)	Confirmation No. 8170
For: Method and Apparatus for Address Allocation in GPRS Networks that)	
Facilitates End-To-End Security)	

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the final Office Action dated December 14, 2006. The Office Action set a three-month period for response, thus making this paper due on or before **March 14**, **2007.** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or credit any overpayment of fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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